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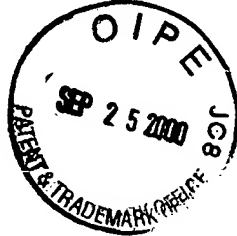


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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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On September 20, 2000

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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/558,474

Filed: April 25, 2000

For: METHOD FOR DETECTING  
IL-B30 POLYNUCLEOTIDES

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Art Unit: 1646

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE  
MISSING PARTS OF  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application

Dated July 11, 2000, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 2) Petition to Extend Time
- 3) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts
- 4) Appointment of Associate Attorney and
- 5) Executed Assignment

Please charge Deposit Account No. 20-1430 for the following fees:

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**TOTAL FEES TO BE CHARGED**

**\$130.00**

Items 4 and 5 were inadvertently omitted at the time of filing this application. They are now being submitted and ask that these items be made of record in the above identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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